Canyon Crest Academy: Stagehand Technician

Level of Difficulty	Estimated Homework	Prerequisites
Moderate		<u>District</u>
Difficult	0-30 minutes	None.
Very Difficult		

Course Description

This course provides entry level and upgrade level training in the skills required for technical theatre operations. Instruction covers the following areas: safety, theatre architecture and stage equipment, production organization and management, and design theory and practical application in: scenic, props, lighting, sound, and costumes. Students use equipment that includes: light construction hand- and machine tools, painting equipment and supplies, sound board equipment, electrical lighting equipment and controls, and pulley and rigging equipment. ROP courses are required to spend a minimum of 10 hours on training in job-seeking and retention knowledge and skills.

The purpose of this class is to introduce students to technical theatre through classroom theory and hands-on training, in which students will assist in providing safe and efficient production support for the various shows that will take place at the school. This class also aims to prepare students for working in technical theatre in a non-academic setting.

This class is ideal for aspiring performers, artists, sound technicians, musicians, and filmmakers who want to know how things work behind-the-scenes and how to apply their knowledge and skills in the real world.

Grading

1st Quarter:2nd Quarter:Notebooks/In class assignments 55%Notebooks/In class assignments 55%

Participation 25% Participation 25%

Group Design Project 10% Individual Job Project 10%

Lab Hours 10% Lab Hours 10%

Supplemental Information

10 credits

Fulfills high school graduation requirement for Practical Arts or elective